

## "Optimist OPTICS

"Achieving Our Goals"



## Optimist Club of Evansville - Downtown

Michael Burk - President

## This Week's Program

**Next Week's Program** 

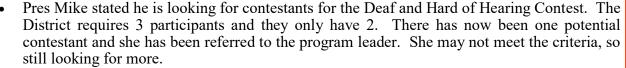
May 22nd Alysia Rhinefort - 4C of Southern Indiana June 12th TBA



The Club met at the Evansville Association for the Blind (EAB) at noon. Patty Haas and Carla Horrell were great hosts. Dan brought a guest, Mackenzie Sadowski, with Aflac. Jeff Olson gave a wonderful invocation. We did not have our printed Creed so it was a good test to see how well we all remembered it. I'll say that some did not pass.



Ron announced to the group that the Foundation gave \$1500 to the Puerto Rican summer camp that Tina Gibbs is associated with.





- Pres Mike stated he will pass out the pre-Memorial weekend flags for those who want to place flags before or on the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend.
- will be in attendance to discuss some recommended changes.



Our board meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 21st. Donaldson Financial Advisors



The meeting was short to allow time for the tour. Patty and Carla gave us a brief history of They also mentioned their struggles. As businesses left Evansville, such as Mead Johnson and Whirlpool, so did EAB's supporting roles on their production floor. They are now primarily assembling items such as handles for buckets for Berry Plastics and using recycled tires to make swings. They also are no longer selling furniture. We also toured a kitchen area where they teach people how to manage a kitchen and other life skills. Another room had various forms of technology that aids those who are not completely blind. The tour wrapped up around 1:20pm. Thank you, Colleen York, for setting this up!



Our next meeting is at ONB on May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Our speaker will be Alysia Rhinefort with 4C of Southern Indiana.

Hope to see you next time!

Mike Burk



Memorial Golf Scramble



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Ed Harrison Memorial Golf Scramble















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